

## ANTIQUE TRUCK SHOW

The third antique truck round-up and swap meet at the Corunna Historical Village of Shiawassee County takes place on September 7, 2003. This event is an annual fundraiser for the village, located in McCurdy Park.

Registration begins at 8 am at the village. Contestant entry and swap meet vendor fees are \$15 at the gate. This fee includes admission for two people and access to all village activities. Entry fee for visitors is \$3 for adults, \$1 for ages 6-12, and free for ages five and under. Eighteen prizes will be awarded to contestants. Vehicles must be at least 25 years old to enter.

Contact Kelly Kuechman, 989-723-3261 during business hours or 989-743-6467 evenings, for more information.

## CORUNNA PUBLIC LIBRARY BUILDING FUNDRAISER

Through the generosity of the Donald & Lillian Olmsted family, the City of Corunna has purchased the old Precision Electric Motor Sales building, located at 210 E. Corunna Avenue, to become the new Corunna Public Library. The library hopes to move into its new home during 2003. The facility will also provide an activity and meeting room for use by the community.

Demolition and remodeling of the library area is currently taking place. Now that a move is imminent, funds are needed to complete the renovations and to furnish the library's new home. Individuals, families, and groups who make a donation of \$25 or more will be recognized by having their names engraved on a plaque that will be on display at the new library. Please return the lower portion with your donation to the Corunna Public Library, 401 N. Shiawassee St., Corunna, MI 48817.

I would like to donate the following to the Corunna Public Library Building Project:

\_\_\_\_\_ \$25 \_\_\_\_\_ Specify Amount

Please have the following engraved on a plaque for display in the new library location:

Please print a maximum of 30 characters

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_



THE CITY OF CORUNNA

SUMMER, 2003

## QUARTERLY NEWS

### GO AHEAD GIVEN FOR BRIDGE PROJECT

Replacement of the Shiawassee Street bridge is set to begin on January 2, 2004.

Due to safety and construction issues, the Michigan Department of Transportation and city officials decided to completely close the bridge to all traffic during demolition and rebuilding.

Detours around the bridge in downtown Corunna will be in place until construction is completed in August, 2004.

Residents are asked to start making plans now to avoid this area between January and August of next year.

### FOURTH OF JULY

On Friday, July 4, McCurdy Park is the place to be for a day of fun at the annual Fourth of July Celebration. There is entertainment for the whole family as McCurdy Park will again be alive with

games, music, and even a belt sander drag race! The activities start at 7 am and end at dusk with the Celebration Fireworks Finale. A schedule of events is listed on page three of this newsletter.

### CITY OF CORUNNA CITY COUNCIL AND STAFF

**Council meetings are held the first and third Mondays of each month at city hall, 7 pm**

Mayor-Steve Corey .....743-5482  
First Ward-Arnie Jessen.....743-6433  
First Ward - Dan Wagner.....743-5344  
Second Ward - Don Mehig.....743-3302  
Second Ward - Gene Sanderson.....743-3335  
Third Ward - Larry Runyan.....743-3652  
Third Ward - Dawn Johnson.....743-5518

City Manager -Joe Sawyer.....743-3650  
City Clerk -Yvonne Long.....743-3650  
Dept. of Public Works -Tim Crawford...743-5040  
Treasurer -Nichole Smolinski.....743-3650  
Assessor/City Planner -Merilee Lawson 743-3650  
Police Chief- Mark Hetfield.....743-6170  
Parks and Recreation-Janet Washburn...743-3650  
Building Director-Rob Kehoe.....743-3650  
Fire Chief-Scott Johnson.....743-6479



## GRASS AND BRUSH NOTICE CHANGE

Residents and business owners, in violation of the weed and grass ordinance, will now get a FIVE-day warning notice before the city mows the property and issues a fine. Previously, the city sent ten-day notices to owners, but habitual offenders have caused a need to change this policy, which started June 14 of this year.

### HOMEOWNERS BEWARE

Rob Kehoe, city building inspector, wants residents to remember that, when work is done to your home by a contractor, it is the contractor's responsibility to arrange for the necessary building permit through city hall.

Homeowners should not apply for this permit for the contractor. This is to protect the homeowner from unlicensed builders and allows Kehoe to discuss what kind of work will be done to your home with the contractor.

Also, residents should never pay any contractor in full until proof of a final inspection is given by the city.

If you have any questions about work to your home or needed permits, contact Rob Kehoe at Corunna City Hall, 743-3650, between noon and 1:30 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Only two grass and weed warning letters will be given prior to the city mowing without notice. Each mowing by the city will result in a fine of \$300, plus departmental costs, billed to the owner of the property.

Weeds and grass on property less than one acre must be kept under six inches in length. Property of one acre or more must be cut to six inches within 50 feet of the property line.

When mowing your yard, please **DO NOT MOW GRASS CLIPPINGS INTO THE STREET**. Violators of this ordinance will be ticketed by the police.

## REMINDER...

The brush and leaf drop off, behind the D.P.W. barn, is for city resident's use only.

All brush and leaves must be removed from bags before leaving.

## FOURTH OF JULY SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

### FEATURED ENTERTAINMENT (CENTER PAVILION)

12:30 P.M.-DELTA RHYTHM KINGS

2:30 P.M.-LEO DAYS JR.

5:30 P.M.-TAYLOR BROTHERS

8:30 P.M.-WESTWIND

### ENTERTAINMENT TENT

12:30 P.M.-TIM SALISBURY (COMEDIAN/JUGGLER)

2:00 P.M.-ZUBICK MAGIC (ILLUSIONIST)

3:30 P.M.-CARL KARL (MAGICIAN)

7:00 P.M.-THE OTHER SIDE (ROCK BAND)

### AT DUSK...

### CELEBRATION FIREWORKS FINALE

### ACTIVITIES THROUGHOUT THE DAY

ALL EVENTS ARE IN MCCURDY PARK UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED

7-11 AM	PANCAKE BREAKFAST
9:30 AM	BIKE DECORATING CONTEST-SHIAWASSEE ST. SCHOOL
10 AM	MODEL CAR SHOW
10:30 AM	CRUISE TO THE PARK CAR SHOW
10:30 AM	KIDS BIKE PARADE-DOWNTOWN CORUNNA
11 AM	FIRECRACKER PARADE-DOWNTOWN CORUNNA
11AM-6PM	CRAFT SHOW
NOON	FLAG RAISING, HISTORICAL VILLAGE OPEN
NOON	ICE CREAM SOCIAL
NOON-DUSK	MINIATURE GOLF
NOON-5 PM	PETTING ZOO & PONY RIDES
NOON-6 PM	INFLATABLE GAMES
12:30-1:30 PM	BELT SANDER RACES-PRELIMINARIES
2-3PM	BELT SANDER RACES-FINALS
1-4PM	CHILDREN'S GAMES
1-3PM	BINGO-STU COUTTS PAVILION
1-3PM	HORSESHOE PITCHING CONTEST
1-4PM	FACE PAINTING
1-2:30 P.M	CAKE WALK
2:30-3:15PM	BUBBLE GUM BLOWING CONTEST
3:30-4:30 PM	WATERMELON EATING & SEED SPITTING
3:30-6:30PM	CHICKEN DINNER